



## ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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TO: Division File ✓

FROM: P. M. McCarthy *PM*

SUBJECT: LFC 16312101 - St. Clair County - Sauget/Sauget

On July 26 and 27, 1982, Jay Evans and this writer conducted a final cover check at the subject site. The site is divided by the Alton and Southern Railroad tracks, and will be referred to as the Northern site, (north of the A & S) and the Southern Site, (south of the A & S).

On the Northern Site we dug fifteen test holes randomly. Eight of the holes contained no soil before encountering refuse. In most cases, cinders were covering the refuse, except one, in which demolition was covering the refuse. The six, which contained soil as cover, averaged 8.8 inches.

The southern portion of the Northern Site is grown up in weeds and appears dormant. The stockpiled cover material in the extreme southwestern portion of the site remains. It is covered with weeds. The northern portion of the Northern Site consists of the Pillsbury Company coal, coke, and grain operation, plus their permitted demolition site.

The Southern Site has been effectively restricted and no additional random dumping has occurred. No covering has occurred, either. Diggings in December of 1979 showed an average of 5.6" of cover. On July 27, 1982 Jay Evans and this writer tested twenty locations for a total cover of 113", which averages 5.65".

On July 28, 1982, this writer returned to both sites to photograph them. Several photographs were taken on the previous two days, however, camera failure occurred.

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